(c) the total expenditure involved in each project;

(d) the quantum of power to be generated by each project after privatisation;

(e) the details of investors who have shown interest to invest in power sector; and

(f) the time by which the projects are likely to become functional?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI YOGINDER K. ALAGH) : (a) to (f) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

[Translation]

CGHS Facility to Retired Pensioners

2. SHRI MANIKRAO HODLYA GAVIT:
SHRI PARASRAM BHARDWAJ:
CHOUDHARY RAMCHANDRA BENDA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware that the retired Central Government servants living in Sansad Vihar, Parijat Apartments, Vidya Vihar, Triveni, Jaisheeva and other near by colonies are facing difficulties in getting CGHS facilities as the GCGS dispensary in Rani Bagh is too far and is more than 4-5 kilometers from these areas;

(b) if so whether the Government propose to make arrangements for mobile dispensary for 3 days in a week or to open a CGHS wing in Jaipur Golden Hospital to provide medical facilities to these old aged persons;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether the Government are aware that these people are not provided medicine in Jaipur Golden Hospital on the pretext that they should be referred to by the concerned CGHS dispensary; and

(e) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto and the medical measures taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY) : (a) Sansad Vihar, Parijat Apartments, Vidya Vihar, Triveni, Jaisheeva and other near by colonies are covered by CGHS dispensary at Shakurbasti which is fairly centrally located. It is possible that beneficiaries staying in the outskirts of the demarcated areas covered under the dispensary may have to travel some distance to reach the dispensary as there are scattered private colonies under the said dispensary where a mixed population of employees (retired and serving) and others are staying.

(b) and (c) There is not provision for a mobile dispensary under CGHS. It may, therefore, not be possible to make such an arrangement. Further, Jaipur Golden Hospital is a private hospital which has been recognised under CGHS. It would not be possible to open a CGHS wing in this private hospital.

(d) and (e) As per present policy, the OPD medicines prescribed by the specialist of a Government hospital only are provided by the CGHS dispensary. Jaipur Golden Hospital is a recognised hospital under CGHS, Delhi and as per the procedure laid down, the pensioner beneficiaries of CGHS, Delhi, can take treatment in this hospital only after getting referred by the Chief Medical Officer Incharge of the concerned CGHS dispensary after getting the initial advice of a CGHS/Govt. specialist. In the case of a medical emergency, the CMO Incharge may directly (i.e. even before the specialist's advice has been obtained) refer the CGHS beneficiaries (both pensioners and serving employees) for further management/treatment after recording the details thereof.

[English]

Invert Sugar

3. SHRI SURESH R. JADHAV : Will the Minster of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether national Research Development Corporation has invented a sweetener i.e. 'Invert Sugar' which is prepared by biological method rather than chemically;

(b) if so, whether this method converts 95 percent of sucrose into glucose and fructose while conventional method converts only 65 per cent of sucrose into glucose and fructose; and

(c) if so, the steps proposed to be taken by the Government to propagate this technology and to provide it to all the sugar mills in the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI YOGINDER K. ALAGH): (a) and (b) Yes Sir. National Research Development Corporation (NRDC) is licensing the Bhabha Atomic Research Centre (BARC), Bombay developed